

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
WESTERN DIVISION

CASE NO. 5:22-CV-00156-M

SARAH FORD,

Plaintiff,

v.

US GOVERNMENT, et al.,

Defendants.

**ORDER**

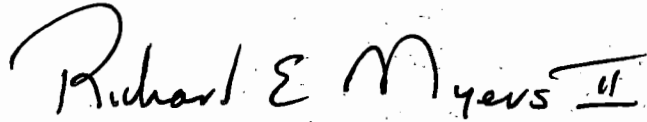
This matter is before the court on a Memorandum and Recommendation (hereinafter “M&R”) of United States Magistrate Judge Robert T. Numbers dated May 4, 2022 [DE 4] and a M&R dated November 28, 2022 [DE 12] to dismiss Plaintiff’s Complaint [DE 1-1, DE 5] and Motion to Amend Complaint [DE 10]. Plaintiffs did not file objections to the M&R. The matter is ripe for ruling.

“The Federal Magistrates Act requires a district court to make a de novo determination of those portions of the magistrate judge’s report or specified proposed findings or recommendations to which objection is made.” *Diamond v. Colonial Life & Accident Ins. Co.*, 416 F.3d 310, 315 (4th Cir. 2005) (emphasis, alteration, and quotations omitted); *see* 28 U.S.C. § 636(b). Absent timely objection, “a district court need not conduct a de novo review, but instead must only satisfy itself that there is no clear error on the face of the record in order to accept the recommendation.” *Diamond*, 416 F.3d at 315 (citation and quotations omitted).

The court has reviewed the M&Rs and the record in this case and is satisfied that there is no clear error on the face of the record. Accordingly, the court ADOPTS the M&R [DE 12] and for the reasons stated therein ORDERS as follows:

1. Plaintiff's Motion to Amend Complaint [DE 10] is DENIED;
2. Plaintiff's Complaint [DE 1-1, DE 5] is DISMISSED without prejudice;

SO ORDERED this 30<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2022.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Richard E. Myers II". The signature is written in a cursive style with a horizontal line at the end.

RICHARD E. MYERS II  
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE